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In re Application of

Kozo YAMAMOTO et al.

Serial No. 10/787,171

Filed: February 27, 2004

For: DAMPER MECHANISM AND  
DAMPER DISK ASSEMBLY

Patent Art Unit: 3679

Examiner: Gregory John Binda

THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS				SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR		PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	RATE	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL 21	- 20	=	1	x 25 = \$		x 50 = \$	\$50
INDEP 2	- 3	=	0	x 100 = \$		x 200 = \$	
[ ] 1ST PRESENTATION OF MULT. DEP. CLAIM				+ 180 = \$		+ 360 = \$	
				TOTAL \$		TOTAL \$	

☒ Applicant petitions for 1 - month extension of time and submits the fee of \$120.☒ Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$ 1130 for a 1-month extension fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a), extra claim fee, and filing fee for RCE☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1836. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.☒ Any additional excess claim fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.☒ Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.Dated: 3/3/06  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.116**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the November 7, 2005 Office Action and February 2, 2006 Advisory Action, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page two (2) of this paper. Claims 1-21 are pending, with claims 1 and 13 being the only independent claims.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page eight (8) of this paper.

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